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Acid Anhydrase and Methods of Use §

STATUS INQUIRY

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Attn: Board of Appeals
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

We filed a Request for Oral Hearing for the above-referenced case with the Patent and Trademark Office on March 14, 1996. The Patent Office responded on April 15, 1996, stating that the request was noted and entered into the file. We have not heard anything further from the Patent Office. Please advise us of the status of this case.

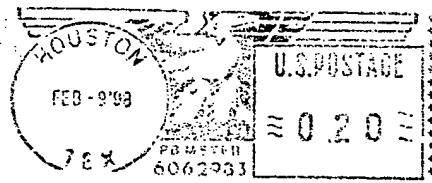
A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed for your reply.

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